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ONE CENT

SEVEN NABBED SHOW DAY AS PICKPOCKETS

Police Pick Up Men Believed to be Professionals--
Circus Detective Helps

ONE INSTANCE OF THIEVING

Seven men, alleged to be professional pickpockets, were picked up by the police here Saturday. There not being much on which to hold them they were released on \$25 forfeits, whereupon they agreed to give Charleroi a wide berth henceforth and said they would not appear for a hearing.

The party appeared to be following the Barnum and Bailey circus. Detective Black of the shows assisted in their capture, pointing out some of them. So far as is known the pickpockets got very little opportunity to carry on their work. One instance of pocket picking is reported. James Hendrickson of Monongahela being the victim. While he was trying to board a train a man blocked his way for a moment. As the man brushed past either he or an accomplice got Hendrickson's pocketbook, containing \$26.10 and slipped away into the crowd.

The men arrested gave their names as H. L. Davis, Pittsburgh; Albert Hart, Buffalo; Ray Harris, Buffalo; John J. Hanan, St. Paul, Minn.; Robert Hardrick, Atlanta, Ga.; and H. J. Hanan, St. Paul, Minn.

Twenty-five arrests were made in all by the police Saturday. Drunkenness was a common offense.

CHARLEROI MEN AMONG LATEST TO ENLIST IN ENGINEER CORPS

Among the enlistments reported Saturday with the Engineers' regiment in Pittsburgh were Lawrence Cosner and John V. Vezzetti of Charleroi, Peter Tintori of Belle Vernon and George C. Carson of Monessen. News reached the Mail today that Vezzetti had enlisted with the Eighteenth regiment as musician.

Harry Hudspeth and Jess C. Ritchey left this morning for Oakmont to join the Engineers' regiment having been ordered out with Company C.

Roe and company will close their store all Memorial Day but will be opened Tuesday evening until 9 o'clock.

Pershing Will Fight With Belgian Ruler



The American expeditionary force which is to go to Europe some time during the coming autumn under the command of Gen. Pershing will see its first fighting in the trenches of devastated Belgium. And there, with the remnant of the Belgian Army, it will fight for the country whose sacred neutral right were violated by Germany. King Albert of Belgium, probably the most democratic of European rulers, will remain at the head of his troops as he has during the long siege. This latest picture shows him as he appeared a month ago.

TRIBUTE PAID TO VETERANS

Memorial Exercises Conducted Sunday at the First Baptist Church

VETERAN GUARD IN CHARGE

In tribute to those veterans for whom taps was sounded during the last year, memorial services were held Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Veteran Guard of Charleroi at the First Baptist church. Rev. W. G. Carl, pastor of the church, preached the sermon. The two who died during the year were Benjamin L. Parsons and John G. Bowser.

Veterans with the Veteran Guard Drum Corps and members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. met at Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue and marched to (Continued on Page Four.)

CONSTITUTION DAY OBSERVED BY THE POLES

Parade and Meeting With Speaking Chief Features of Demonstration

PATRIOTIC DISPLAY UNUSUAL

Polish societies celebrated Sunday what is known as the constitution of May 3, assuring freedom to Poles, the celebration being an annual affair. A parade was the first vent of the day with the Polish Falcons, Slavok Circle, Slavok societies, Russian and Greek Catholic delegations, Monessen lodge and Charleroi lodge in line, Julian Mihaloski of Charleroi was marshal and the music was furnished by the Charleroi Slavok band. Numerous fine American flags were carried, heading the parade, which was from the Concordia hall out Crest to Third down Third to McKean, down McKean to Tenth, up Tenth to Lincoln, thence to Seventh, thence to Crest and to the hall. A military delegation attracted attention.

A meeting was held at the hall. President Alex Czartoryski of the Polish Falcons and Polish Allies presided and introduced Joseph Roday of Charleroi as chairman with T. Cieszek as secretary. Burgess Woodward and speakers were present.

Both in Polish and English. Rev. W. Odziemicki of the Polish Catholic church, Donora; Miss Bertha Zignot, Miss M. Rodak, a man from Ellsworth and M. Simonski of Braddock. The Slavok band played selections. A solo was sung by Miss Bryskoska. Children sang various songs and the Polish Falcon singers from Charleroi and Monessen contributed a number. The final address was made by President Czartoryski.

Arrangements are being made by the Polish Falcons for another demonstration in June. This will be of a military character by the Falcons and there will be many representatives here. The Poles are backing the United States in their war with Germany and are offering their services to Uncle Sam when he needs. They are making preparations for a demonstration which likely will be held on Constitution day, June 5.

WEDDED AT CHURCH STUDY SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock Harry E. Arfson of Charleroi and Miss Jennie Fisher of Monessen were married in the study of the First Christian church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the church. The couple will live in Monessen.

SHOWMEN SHOW ANXIETY OVER REGISTRATION

Many Men Between 21 and 31 With Barnum and Bailey Make Inquiry

ENDEAVOR TO REGISTER HERE

Traveling showmen between the ages of 21 and 31 are considerably anxious as to the application of the conscription law to their cases, pertaining to registration. As a result of inquiries here today numbers of men of the required age who are with the Barnum and Bailey shows are registering in Pittsburgh.

Saturday when the shows came to Charleroi the police and Burgess Woodward were besieged with numerous requests for registration. Burgess Woodward ascertained from the commissioners office at Washington, in response to the requests, that only at county seats was registration possible by transients. This explanation was given to a number of inquiring ones, who waited the arrival of the shows today in Pittsburgh. Several registered at Greensburg on Friday.

NO SCHOOL SESSIONS TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

School Superintendent T. L. Pollock this morning announced that there would be no school sessions on Wednesday, Memorial day. Also he announced dates for high schools events. The class play will be given on June 14 and on Friday, June 15 the domestic science and manual training exhibition will be held. Rev. C. A. Hartung will preach the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday evening June 17 in the high school auditorium and on Monday evening, June 18 commencement exercises will be held. On June 19 the annual school picnic at Eldora park will follow.

TWO BIG GAMES TO BE PLAYED HERE WEDNESDAY

Two big games with one of the best teams from Pittsburgh the P. J. Sullivan, will be played by the Pittsburgh Steel Products Decoration day in Charleroi. The Sullivan come to the city, having won the 1916 championship. Manager C. W. Regester will announce tomorrow the lineups. The morning game will begin at 10:30 o'clock and the afternoon session at the customary time.

Her Daddy Joined; She Wants You To



This is little Elizabeth Whalen of New York, seven years old, who wears a khaki uniform and carries a

glaring placard as she strides boldly up and down Sixth Avenue seeking recruits for the United States Engineering Corps. Her daddy has joined, as her sign tells, and he has brought a recruit in every day since. His patriotic little daughter wanted to help, so the khaki suit was provided with some red, white and blue ribbons for her hair, and she entered upon her duties. It is an inspiring sight to see the figure of this little girl parading the busy thoroughfare at times almost lost in the hurrying throngs.

THOUSANDS IN CIRCUS CROWD

People Come From Many Points to Witness Barnum and Bailey Shows

ARTISTS OF HIGHEST CLASS

With weather conditions of the finest in the afternoon and fair in the evening, enough rain falling to allay the dust, one of the best circuses ever held in Charleroi, was presented to crowds numbering thousands Saturday by Barnum and Bailey. Clean and wholesome, real entertainment was furnished by the highest class of artists.

Trapeze work was exceptional. Clowning was better than ever, with new features being introduced. Some of the old time features in trained animal performances were missing, but supplanting them were new acts of an intensely interesting character. Japanese performers, Chinese and others from representative races had new and startling acts. A specialty was tight wire walking. One prevailing feature was the courtesy of the attendant, who handled the immense crowds in perfect style. Not only were the shows the

CHARLEROI MEN SOON TO BE ON FRENCH FRONT

Emile Balleux and George Storiez Leave to Join Army in France

MANY FRIENDS SEE THEM OFF

Probably the first Charleroi men to set foot in France for active participation in the war against Germany will be Emile Balleux and George Storiez, two young men who departed this morning for New York city to sail soon. They have enlisted in the French army and their expectation is that they will be sent immediately to the front.

The two young men came to America from France in 1914, landing at about the time of the beginning of the hostilities. Really they were not aware anything was wrong until they arrived. Lately stirred by the fact that their adopted country had entered the war and by late patriotic demonstrations they determined to hasten at once to the front, conceiving the need of men to be great.

With characteristic French and Belgian ardor their friends celebrated over Sunday and until this morning when a large crowd saw them off as they boarded their train.

NON-RESIDENTS MAY REGISTER IN CHARLEROI MEMORIAL DAY

For the convenience of non-residents of Washington county, who are here temporarily and who wish to register if of the conscription age, County Commissioner John O. Watson has arranged to be in Charleroi Memorial day attending to duties as registrar. Following is his official announcement:

Notice to non-residents of Washington county who are subject to draft: For the convenience of those who do not desire to go to the county seat to register, I will be at the Tax Collector's office, 524 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, on Decoration Day, May 30, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. Non-residents should make out their cards in time for them to reach their home precincts before June 5, otherwise they will not be registered or receive their registration certificates. John O. Watson, registrar of Washington county.

Fill your Memorial Day needs at Roe and company's. They are offering great bargains.

largest that ever played here but they were among the best attended, people coming from nearly all parts of western Pennsylvania to witness the multitude of attractions. The aggregation left early Sunday morning for Pittsburgh where performances will be given today.

Palace Theatre

TONIGHT, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

Madam Clifford

MIND READER AND MEDIUM

Madam Clifford will conduct a special matinee for ladies only, Tuesday at 2:30

OTHER ACTS AND PHOTO-PLAYS

John K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres R. H. Rush, Cashier.
You Know You Want a Checking Account

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MILK AND BABIES

In his discussion this week State Health Commissioner Samuel G. D. Van takes up the subject of milk and babies. He has the following to say:

Milk is nature's complete food to sustain human and animal life. Under ideal conditions this delicate food, that meets all the demands of the body, would never be exposed to the atmosphere, but pass directly from the mother to the offspring at the proper temperature and without the possibility of becoming dirty or infected with disease-producing germs.

Unfortunately the artificial methods of living adopted by man have made it impossible for us to be faithful to the laws of nature.

This week's chat will be confined to commercially handled cow's milk. Fresh milk or that which has been pasteurized may easily become unfit for use as a baby's food by the dust and dirt and disease germs introduced through its handling by man after it is taken from the cow.

The milk consumed in the State of Pennsylvania alone comes from at least 80,000 dairies of our own. Besides the impatience of daily train loads from our sister states.

In Pennsylvania we have no thorough inspection of the milk at any stage from the time the cow is milked until the fluid reaches the babies. There is no law and no appropriation that gives any government officer power to guard properly our little children from dirty milk.

Some of our cities and other municipalities are doing all they can to take care of their milk supplies.

The State Department of Health feels helpless and asks for each mother or guardian of a child to help force a cleaner supply of milk.

Buy milk from a seller who wears dirty clothes or whose hands and face are unclean.

See that his horse and wagon, truck, or any vehicle in which he carries his product are kept clean. If they are not, the milk is almost sure to be dirty.

The milkman should not fill his bottles en route. They could be filled only after being sterilized and before they are exposed to dust and dirt. Those who fill bottles as they deliver often take non-sterilized ones from one house and deliver milk in them to the next customer.

You should see whether or not the empty milk bottles collected are kept in his wagon separate from the full bottles.

Before opening the bottles the cap and top of bottle should be thoroughly washed, otherwise the milk flows out over the dirty lip of the bottle.

Look for dirt in the bottom of the bottle after it is permitted to stand.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

More man can care for himself at a circus, but his difficult job is looking after the children, for whom of course he goes.

The regulation of food prices should offer a bonus to the man who is willing to eat the cold storage eggs.

Poleing should be suspended in favor of preserving.

We are in favor of peace between the German kaiser and Nick Romanoff or a little island all by themselves.

Probably by the stern application of the proper influence the Krupps can be induced to take up the manufacture of harvesters and plowing machinery.

DEPARTED IN PASSING

Nothing caused the wrath and disaster of the eminent labor member as he was bragging about luxurious living and affluence. One day a very snobbish fellow, member of the House was chatting affably, if a little condescendingly to him and in the course of the conversation remarked:

"I was obliged to discharge my-



Madam Clifford, Mind Reader and Medium at the Palace theatre tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday

aw—second footman last week. He was continually hanging round one of the under housemaids!"

"Really?" said the labor member. "You have my sincere sympathy. I just had to discharge my third groom. He was always loafing in the servants' billiard room!"

"Why did you strike this man?" asked the judge sternly.

"He called me a liar, your honor," replied the accused.

"Is that true?" asked the judge, turning to the man with the muddled-up face.

"Sure, it's true," said the accused. "I called him a liar because he is one and I can prove it."

"What have you got to say to that?" asked the judge of the defendant.

"It's got nothing to do with the case, your honor," was the unexpected reply. "Even if I am a liar, I guess I've got a right to be sensitive about it, ain't I?"—Topkapi State Journal.

TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. Amelia Shupe of Brownsville visited Mrs. W. L. Klus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilson and children visited relatives in Donora Sunday.

Miss Grace Philips visited her cousin, Miss Anna Miller in Uniontown Sunday.

Misses Mary Pegh and Katie Dwyer of Fayette City visited with Mrs. Everett Harris over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Carson was a caller in Fayette City.

John Myers was a Pittsburg business caller.

Samuel Gaskill was a caller in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Frank Campbell was a recent caller in Bantleville.

Mrs. J. O. Watson was a Pittsburg visitor.

Mrs. Fred Sutherland who has been seriously ill at her home, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKann and children visited relatives in Belle Vernon.

Mrs. Elmore Houston and children left Friday for Mansfield and Shelby, Ohio, where they will visit relatives until their goods arrive at Trenton, New Jersey. Mr. Houston left Sunday for Trenton where he will resume his duties in a tube mill.

BARNUM AND BAILEY ATTACHE

DIES AT THE LOCAL HOSPITAL

William Hames, aged 49, white a Pullman porter with the Barnum and Bailey shows which were here Saturday died early Sunday morning in the Charletoi-Monessen hospital of leukemia and pneumonia. He was taken to the hospital on the arrival of the shows Saturday. Nothing is known of his family. His body was taken to the Frye morgue awaiting instructions from the circus manager relative to disposition.

ASTONISHED RHEUMATICS MOST JOYOUS

All Over the Country. They Are Recommending "Neutrone Prescription 99"

"Neutrone Prescription 99" in a few days will permanently liberate and remove all aches and pains. The most skeptical persons have at once become its warmest endorsers.

As a relieved patient expressed it, "You can distinctly feel a modification of stiffness in your joints and muscles."

"Neutrone Prescription 99" acts in a mysterious manner that is almost unbelievable, when in fact it immediately relieves the most obstinate cases of rheumatism.

Are you troubled with rheumatism? If you are "Neutrone Prescription 99" will cure you, yes, cure you.

Go to your druggist and say good-bye to rheumatism. Mail orders filled on \$1.00 size.

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MIND READER BEING FEATURED AT PALACE

Madam Clifford a well known mind reader and medium is being featured at the Palace theatre this week. Any questions that are written and taken to the theatre will be answered. The other numbers of the program are Fisher and Rockway, singers and dancers and Dave Glaver comedian. Madam Clifford will conduct a special matinee for women only on Tuesday.

MAKE COMFORT BAGS FOR BOYS AT FRONT

Members of Washington Avenue Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society Display Them at Meeting and Give Out Two

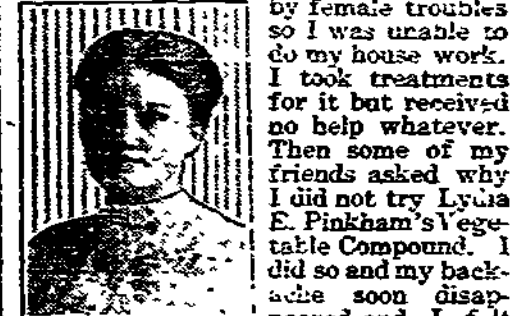
The Christian Endeavor society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church has taken up special work in providing comfort bags for the soldier boys leaving for the front. Several of the comfort bags were on display at the meeting of the society Sunday evening. Each bag contains the following articles: Bandages, thread, scissors, buttons, pin cushion, needle case, testament, etc. Two bags were given out Sunday evening to young men who leave this week for a training camp. It was also agreed that during the war each evening at 8 o'clock the boys at the front were to be remembered by the members of the society.

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BACKACHE SOON DISAPPEARED

Could Not Do Housework Till Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Removed Cause.

Fort Fairfield, Maine.—"For many months I suffered from backache caused by female troubles so I was unable to do my house work. I took treatments for it but received no help whatever. Then some of my friends asked why I did not try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and my backache soon disappeared and I felt



like a different woman, and now have a healthy little baby girl and do all my house work. I will always praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to women who suffer as I did."—Mrs. ALTON D. OAKES, Fort Fairfield, Maine. When a remedy has lived for forty years, steadily growing in popularity and influence, and thousands upon thousands of women declare they owe their health to it, is it not reasonable to believe that it is an article of merit? If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (Incorporated), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened and read by women only.

STEEL PRODUCTS WIN GAME FROM MORGANS AT ELIZABETH

In a game Saturday at Elizabeth the Pittsburg Steel Products baseball club won from the J. A. Morgans by the score of 14 to 3. Dishner pitched a good game for the products and the products had their hitting clothes on.

SON OF FORMER CHARLEROI FAMILY DIES IN PITTSBURG

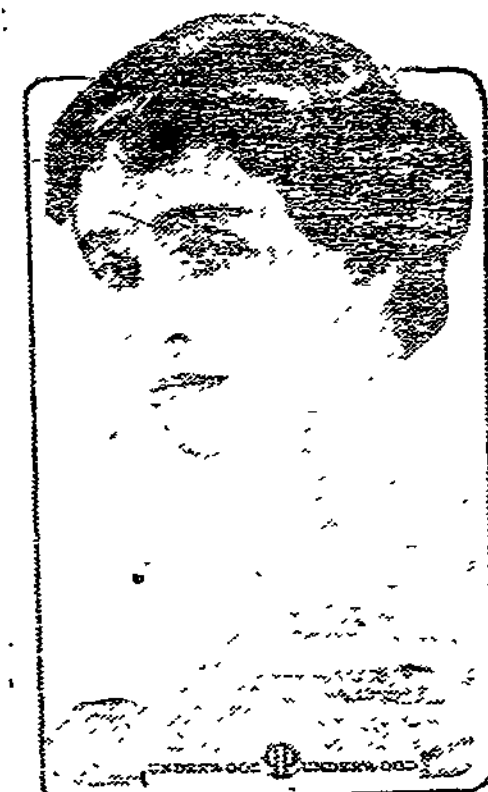
Jack the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ewald of Monessen, formerly of Charletoi died at the West Penn Hospital, Pittsburg Saturday evening. The body was taken to Parkers Landing, from which place the funeral will be held.

VIRGINIA PEARSON AT MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY

"Royal Romance" a production by the William Fox company, in which Virginia Pearson enacts the leading role is being featured at the Majestic theatre today. Tuesday's attraction will be Winifred Allen in the Triangle play "The Man Who Made Good." For Memorial Day an extra good attraction has been booked. It is "As Man Made Her," a William A. Brady picture featuring Gail Kane.

When you feel discouraged, nervous, tired, worried or despondent it is a sure sign you need MOTT'S NERVE PILLS. They renew the normal vigor and make life worth living. Be sure and ask for Mott's Nerve Pills Price 50c. by druggists WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio For Sale by John W. Carrol.

American Beauty in British War Work



Now that Great Britain and the United States are allies in the greatest war of all times the American women of the British nobility are coming more and more into prominence. The accompanying portrait of Lady David Beatty, wife of Admiral Beatty of the British Navy, shows the former Miss Ethel Fields of Chicago, in a new pose. Lady Beatty is a leader in the Red Cross Relief Work in London and is noted for her beauty. She is one of the most active American women in war work in England.

MAHIEU'S WEEKLY SPECIALS

Wilbur Cocoa, large 25c can 19c
A. G. S. Rolled Oats, 2 pkgs for 15c
Fig Bars, per lb 15c
Orla Molasses, 10c can, 2 for 15c
Mother Cook soups, can 8c
No. 3 can Inspector Apple Butter, 2 cans for 25c
Mahieu's Special Ammonia, full quart bottle, 25c value, this week 15c
New Potatoes, per pk \$1.00
Pure Cane Granulated Sugar, 25lb sack \$2.40
Neptune or Vienna flour, 25lb sack \$2.00

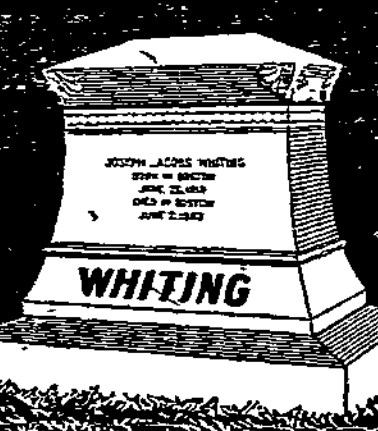
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Let their resting places be marked with a suitable memorial before Decoration Day.

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French Peasants Wear Gas Masks



Fighting men in the trenches are not the only humans in war-torn France that use gas masks. Indeed, most residents of the country in which the war is now raging are obliged to wear them. This unusual picture shows an entire family with these strange masks prepared to go about their day's work. They live in a little village near the Aisne sector, where the Germans have sent clouds of poisonous gas across the country on every gust of wind. Even the little lad in front has learned to protect himself. The peasants of the section carry the masks about in their pockets and at the first indication of gas, put them on.

WAR CLOSES MANY SHOPS IN ROME

"To be reopened after a victorious peace." "Until the Huns are wiped out no goods available here." "When the Germans are made to pay for the cruelties committed trade will be resumed by this shop"—such are the notices affixed to the doors of shops in Rome which have been forced to close because their owners have been called to arms. They show the philosophical and sometimes humorous spirit with which the sacrifices of the war are taken. It is common to be served in shops and restaurants by men in uniform, usually the proprietors, who in their spare hours go to see how business is being carried on under the supervision of their wives.

DECORATION DAY

BERRYMAN'S

We Give D. & N. Green Trading Stamps

SPECIALS

The money-saving possibilities of "Opportunity Day"--which means new, seasonable merchandise at the lowest prices of the month--will be more keenly recognized tomorrow, more than usual owing to the near approach of the Fiftieth "Memorial Day" holiday.

"Buying most, we buy for less--Selling most we sell for less"

Special Price Reductions on Ladies' Suits

All our complete stock of the very latest in ladies suits at special price reductions. Don't fail to see these wonderful bargains.

Special Sale House Dresses

A very pretty assortment of house dresses on special sale at \$1.25. See them in our dry goods department.

Special Notice

An increase in Nemo Corset prices. In effect on and after Monday July 2nd. It will be economy to secure your corset now while the present prices prevail.

Congoleum Rugs

Special Prices on Congoleum Rugs

6 x 9 at \$4.80
9 x 10 at \$10.00
9 x 12 at \$11.00
Smaller rugs below the regular advertised prices.

FLAGS == FLAGS

Printed Cotton Bunting with heavy muslin binding and grommets
2ft. 3in. x 3ft. 5in. at \$1.25
3 x 5ft. at \$1.25
5 1-2 x 9ft. at \$3.00
Cotton Bunting sewed stripes and embroidered stars
5x8 ft. at \$6.00

INVINCIBLE BUNTING

Both warp and filling are double, moth proof, sewed-double stitched stripes, stars sewed on both sides. Heavy canvas headings, brass grommets
8x5 ft. at \$4.50
4x6 ft. at \$7.50
5x8 ft. at \$9.00

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Double warp made same as invincible bunting only better grade.
8x5 ft. at \$5.50
4x6 ft. at \$8.00
5x8 ft. at \$12.00
All wool, finest quality, lock stitch otherwise made same as second grade only the very best quality
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5x8 ft. at \$15.00

Special Sale Women's Coats

We have the largest assortment we have ever shown and are selling them at Special price reductions. It will pay you to buy a coat now.

Boys' Wash Suits

Pretty wash suits separate coat and pants in all the different colors and patterns at 50c, 59c, 69c, and 75c
Wash suits all in one in plain colors, also waist of one color and pants of another in plain colors and stripes. 59c
Wash suits of the better grades in all styles and colors from \$1.25 to \$2.50

Men's Underwear

Men's union suits, same cloth as B.V.D. in men's and boys' 50c suit
Reg. branded B. V. D. at \$1.00 to \$1.50 suit
Men's Ribbed Underwear in very fine ribbed spring needle. 59c to \$3.00

Millinery Reduced

Special reduction on all trimmed hats, also a new assortment of the latest in the favored sport hats, that are now so popular for sport and outing wear.

Men's Work Shirts

We are making a special drive on all our work shirts Amoskeg and Blue Chambrays and Cheviots only 59c

Special Sale Middy Blouses

6 to 14 years 60c, \$1.00
6 to 26 years \$1.00 to \$1.50.
Middy Suits \$1.50 to \$2.50.

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FOR SALE--Good building lots in the corner of Lookout avenue and Seventh street. See Blythe in Night building. 292-t6p

FOR SALE--Good team, harness and wagon Jack Vezetti, 441 Wood land avenue. 291-t3p

FOR SALE--Good building lots on

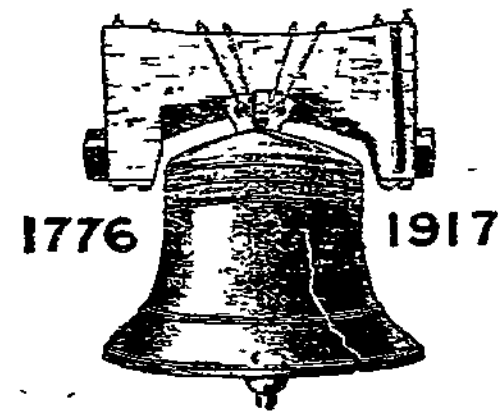
the corner of Lookout avenue and Seventh street. See Blythe in Night building. 292-t6p

FOR RENT--Front bed room with 3 windows. Good location. Inquire 922 Main office. 287-tf

FOR RENT--Living apartment, four rooms and bath. Possession June 1. Apply Charleroi Real Estate Agency. 289-tf

MARY MILES MINTER AT COYLE THEATRE

"Youth's Endearing Charm" with Mary Miles Minter in the leading role is being shown at the Coyle theatre today, in conjunction with the fifteenth episode of "The Great Secret." Kathryn Williams and Theodora Roberts will be featured in "The Cost of Hatred," on Tuesday. "God's Law and Man's" a Metro wonderplay of a purchased wife will be shown Wednesday. Viola Dana appears in the feature role.



WORKERS GET BACK OF THE FIGHTERS!

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ON EASY PAYMENTS

We will gladly receive your application

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PERSONALS

Mrs. C. W. Albright, Sr., has returned from the West Penn Hospital where she underwent an operation and course of treatment. She was accompanied home by her nurse Miss Webreck.

Dr. Wisterman and Paul McKinney of Masontown visited with Mr. McKinney's uncle, E. C. Kelley of McKean avenue over Sunday.

Miss Lenore Miksch of McKean avenue visited over Sunday with friends at Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDermott of Pittsburgh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott of Crest avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Sickman visited with his parents at Pittsburgh Sunday.

Tom Mangan of Bucknell University visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mangan of Second street over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. May Hill and children of Moshall motored to Charleroi Sunday and visited with Mrs. Hill's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Muth and children of Wilmersburg visited at the home of Mrs. H. Wingert on Washington avenue Sunday.

Among those who motored to Wheeling, W. Va., Sunday were Misses Victorine and Lollie Laborie and Bertha Lambert.

George Howard and Miss Edith McKean of Woodlawn visited with friends in Charleroi Sunday.

Roland W. Brown was a caller in Pittsburgh Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Abercrombie and daughter Eleanor of Verona visited at the home of Mrs. Priscilla Hudspeth of Fifth street Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sipes of Toledo, Ohio, are here visiting their daughter Mrs. Philips of Meadow avenue.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Palmer of Meadow avenue a daughter Thursday, May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell DeCoudres of Pittsburgh were visitors over Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reeves of Fallowfield avenue.

Mrs. D. E. Shan of Crest avenue was a caller in Pittsburgh Monday.

Miss Katie Virkner of Erie is visiting with Mrs. H. E. Price of McKean avenue.

After spending ten days with his parents, E. R. Tomlinson of the U. S. S. New Hampshire left Saturday night for his ship, somewhere in the Atlantic.

Mrs. S. W. Wonderly visited her brother H. W. Steppe of Sarver, Butler county over Sunday.

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The church, where special places were reserved for them. The beginning of the program was with the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner." As president of the Charleroi Ministerial association Rev. C. P. Bastian presided. Other ministers who assisted were Rev. A. J. Whipkey, who had the invocation. Rev. E. N. Duty, who read the scripture lesson of the day, and a poem written by Private J. B. Evans of North Carolina and Rev. John R. Burson, who read the Gettysburg speech of Abraham Lincoln and offered prayer. Two special selections were sung by the choir.

Rev. Carl spoke of the theme, "The Present War and Unifying Races," in which his thought was that the great conflict now raging would bring about a greater unity of mankind. Closing exercises were in charge of Jacob Wise, commander of the Charleroi Veteran Guard. He spoke briefly and deposited a flag on each two vacant chairs. White flowers were placed on the chairs by girls and Samuel Crawford, a veteran added a white carnation, in carrying out a formality.

M'ILVAINE SIGNS TO COACH THE BELLEVUE HIGH SCHOOL
John McIlvaine, with much experience in minor league circles as pitcher, has signed to coach the Bellevue high school baseball team and has left for Bellevue to take up his work. McIlvaine did not go out this year. He finished up in the Ohio state league.

RECEIVES LETTER AT STATE

Among those granted letters for major sports at State College Saturday was James G. Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner of McKean avenue a basketball player at state during the season just closed. Wagner is now in training at Fort Niagara in the officers' reserve corps.

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CARSON-LUTES WEDDING QUIET EVENT FRIDAY

Ceremony Performed by Rev. William Hogg of Speers and Couple Leave For East--Bride Well Known as Teacher, Groom as Lawyer

Miss Violet Lutes and Roy Irwin Carson, both of Charleroi, were quietly married Friday evening at 6:30 by Rev. William Hogg, pastor of the Speers and Ebenezer Methodist churches. The wedding was a quiet affair, being known only to the couple's near relatives until after the ceremony was over. Mrs. Carson is a daughter of Mrs. Mary L. Lutes of Meadow avenue and is a graduate of California Normal of the class of 1914. She was also a member of the class of 1912 of the Charleroi High school. She has been a successful teacher in the Speers and Belle Vernon schools.

Mr. Carson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah T. Carson of Fallowfield township. He graduated from the Charleroi high school in the class of 1909 and from W. & J. in 1913 and from the University of Pittsburgh law school in 1916. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity at W. & J., and of the Delta Theta Phi Law fraternity at Pitt. He is also a member of the local Alpha Phi Beta fraternity and master of the Fallowfield grange. Mr. Carson has been practicing law in Charleroi since September 1916 and has been very successful in establishing a good practice. The couple after a brief eastern trip will make their home in Charleroi.

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HASTY WORK DONE TO PREVENT DAMAGE FROM AN UNEXPECTED RISE

An unexpected rise in the Monongahela river today caused rivermen to make hasty preparations to prevent damage. At Lock No. 4 a stage of 23 feet of water was reported at 1 o'clock, with the water rising at the rate of nine inches an hour. A stage of from 25 to 30 feet is indicated by warnings from up river points. New work is at a standstill. Safety precautions have been taken to prevent any of the new material at No. 4 and other points from being washed away. Coal men are experiencing considerable difficulty in getting their tows down stream. The rise is the greatest since the break in the No. 4 dam two months or more ago.

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BLOOD POISONING CAUSES THE DEATH OF MRS. A. PEAKE

Mrs. Mary A. Peake, aged 39 years of Bentleyville formerly of Charleroi died in the West Penn hospital, Pittsburgh Saturday night from blood poisoning from which she had suffered for five days. She is survived by her husband, Albert Peake, three sons and one daughter. Funeral services will be conducted at the late home by Rev. John Lyons of St. Mary's Episcopal church, Charleroi, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be in the Monongahela cemetery.

Mrs. Peake was a member of the local Episcopal church and was known for her kindness and willingness to do whatever she conceived to be her duty. It was in the performance of an act of kindness that she is believed to have contracted the poison which brought about her death.

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GARDEN COLUMN

By National Emergency Food Garden Commission

The most economical way of using insect sprays is in some sort of a spray pump, says today's bulletin from the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, cooperating with the Daily Mail, to help those planting gardens this year for the first time.

Every good gardener is prepared to use sprays in his garden to combat the insects which may otherwise make his crop his failure. The garden may escape, but should the insect hordes come, the gardener should be prepared.

A sprayer for scattering insecticides, as the sprays and mixtures are called, is not an absolute necessity, but it is highly desirable for the gardener to have one. The prices range all the way from fifty cents to seven or eight dollars. When there are many small gardens in the same locality, several gardeners may continue to purchase a good spray pump, as one pump is sufficient for several gardens.

However, if the gardener feels that he cannot afford to buy a pump he can apply the sprays in various other ways. The sprinkling pot is very wasteful, but its use is better than not to use sprays at all. Before spray pumps were invented wick brooms were used to sprinkle on spray mixtures. This method can still be followed.

The cheapest sprays are the small atomizers. These cost from fifty cents to two dollars, and are entirely satisfactory for small gardens. Other good garden sprays are the bucket pump, which sells for \$4.50 and the small, compressed air spray implement which costs from \$5.00 to \$8.50. These sprayers are supplied by seedsmen or hardware dealers.

Where poisons are used dry they should be applied in some sort of a sifter. A cheap flour sifter does very well for this. You can also make a sifter at home by punching small holes in the bottom of a tin can.

In using powdered arsenate of lead or any other dry poison it should be mixed with road dust or sifted ashes. Early morning is the best time for powdering plants since the dust material sticks better when the leaves are wet with dew.

Card of Thanks.
We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and fraternal societies for the kindness and sympathy extended to us during the illness and death of our husband and father--especially do we thank all those who sent floral tributes.
Mrs. Mary Brown and Children.
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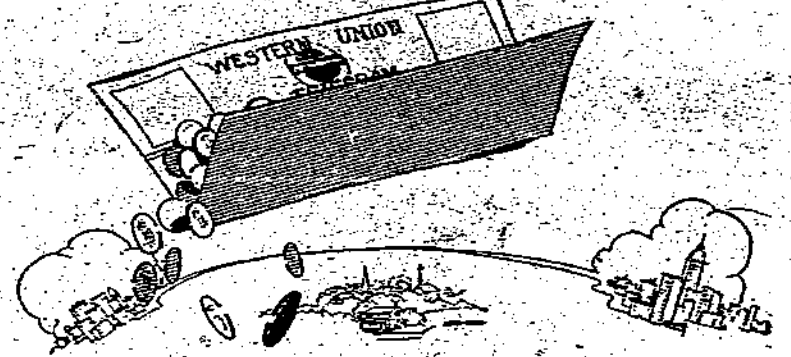
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Ira L. Nickerson,
Borough Clerk.
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Planning For Convention
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church is planning for the county convention to be held in Burgettstown the closing days of June.

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